



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
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October 23, 2012

MR. THOMAS LEWIS OSBORNE, TREASURER
VIRGINIA PARTISANS POLITICAL ACTION
COMMITTEE
PO BOX 2106
ARLINGTON, VA 22202

Response Due Date
11/27/2012

IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: C00299511

REFERENCE: AMENDED YEAR-END REPORT (07/01/2011 - 12/31/2011), RECEIVED
05/16/2012

Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. **Failure to adequately respond by the response date noted above could result in an audit or enforcement action.** Additional information is needed for the following 1 item(s):

- Schedule B supporting Line 22 discloses disbursements to a nonfederal account (see attached.) You are advised that 11 CFR §102.5 prohibits a non-federal account from financing activity in connection with federal elections. Please provide clarifying information regarding these transactions including the date(s) when the original activity was conducted by the non-federal account. In addition, if any of these disbursements were made to influence the election or defeat of specific federal candidates, the disbursements should be allocated accordingly and disclosed as either in-kind contributions on Schedule B supporting Line 23, or as independent expenditures on Schedule E supporting Line 24. (11 CFR §§104.3(b)(3) and 106.1)

Although the Commission may initiate legal action regarding the activities conducted by your non-federal account, any clarifying information that you can provide will be taken into consideration.

Please note, you will not receive an additional notice from the Commission on this matter. Adequate responses must be received by the Commission on or before the due date noted above to be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also result in an enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by your committee

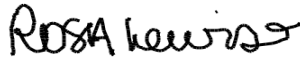
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will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement action. **Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered.**

Electronic filers must file amendments (to include statements, designations and reports) in an electronic format and must submit an amended report in its entirety, rather than just those portions of the report that are being amended. If you should have any questions regarding this matter or wish to verify the adequacy of your response, please contact me on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 5 to reach the Reports Analysis Division) or my local number (202) 694-1152.

Sincerely,



Rosa Lewis
Senior Campaign Finance Analyst
Reports Analysis Division

Excessive, Prohibited, and Impermissible Contributions
Arizona Republican Party (C00008227)

Payment to Non-Federal Account

Contributor Name		Date	Amount
Virginia Partisans	Virginia PAC	10/11/2011	\$24,125